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Elections, nominations and confirmations

Election of 21 members of the Intergovernmental Working Group of Experts on International Standards of Accounting and Reporting

Note by the Secretary-General

Addendum

1. Pursuant to Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/67 of 27 October 1982 and 1985/71 of 26 July 1985, the Council is to elect, at its resumed organizational session for 1999, 21 members of the Intergovernmental Working Group of Experts on International Standards of Accounting and Reporting for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2000 to fill the vacancies that will occur on 31 December 1999 upon the expiration of the terms of the following members: Argentina, China, Colombia, France, Gabon, Gambia, Germany, Italy, Kenya, Lebanon, Malawi, Namibia, Netherlands, Panama, Portugal, Russian Federation, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

2. The members are to be elected according to the following pattern:

Five members from African States;

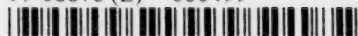
Three members from Asian States;

One member from Eastern European States;

Three members from Latin American and Caribbean States;

Nine members from Western European and other States.

3. The composition of the Working Group in 1999 is given in the annex below.



Annex

Intergovernmental Working Group of Experts on International Standards of Accounting and Reporting

(34 members; three-year term)

Membership in 1999

Nine members from African States

Benin (2000), Cameroon (2000), Comoros (2000), Gabon* (1999), Gambia* (1999), Kenya* (1999), Malawi* (1999), Namibia* (1999), Sierra Leone (2000)

Seven members from Asian States

China* (1999), Cyprus (2000), India (2000), Jordan (2000), Lebanon* (1999), Pakistan (2000), Thailand* (1999)

Three members from Eastern European States

Bulgaria (2000), Hungary (2000), Russian Federation* (1999)

Six members from Latin American and Caribbean States

Argentina* (1999), Brazil (2000), Colombia* (1999), Costa Rica (2000), Jamaica (2000), Panama* (1999)

Nine seats from Western European and other States

France* (1999), Germany* (1999), Italy* (1999), Netherlands* (1999), Portugal* (1999), Spain* (1999), Sweden* (1999), Switzerland* (1999), United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland* (1999)

* Retiring member